

The Bingham Research Center

1st Annual Energy Symposium

September 23, 2010
Western Park (302 E. 200 S.)
Vernal, Utah



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Session 1 Utah State University Bingham Entrepreneurship & Energy Research Center

- 9:00 am Welcome and Opening Presentation by Dr. Robert T. Behunin, USU
- 9:30 am Utah State University Research Foundation
Space Dynamics Laboratory: Celestial Applied R&D to Terra Based R&D
Speakers: Dr. Doug Lemon, President USURF; Mr. Niel Holt, SDL Director
- 10:30 am Utah State University Energy Dynamics Laboratory
Environmental Mitigation Efforts and Next Generation Fossil Energy
Speakers: Mr. Jeff Muhs, EDL Director and members of the Energy Dynamics Laboratory team
- 11:30 am Break and Box Lunch
- 12:30 pm Special Recognitions: Celebrating Transformational Partnerships with Industry
Speakers: Stan Albrecht, USU President; Dr. Robert T. Behunin, USU

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Session 2 The Western Energy Corridor, Emerging Energy Partnerships, and Eastern Utah Energy Update

- 1:00 pm Western Energy Corridor and the Eastern Utah Secure Energy Partnership & Program
Speaker: Mr. Michael Hagood, Director, Program Development, Idaho National Laboratory
- 2:00 pm Responding to the Technical Training Needs of the Oil & Gas Industries in the Uintah Basin
Speaker: Mr. Paul Hacking, President, Uintah Basin Applied Technology College
- 2:25 pm Utah's World Class Energy Assets
Speaker: TBA

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Session 3 3:00 pm Public Hearing: Governor Herbert's Energy Task Force

A Public Hearing will be held to present information to the public and to receive input from the public relative to Governor Gary Herbert's 10 year Energy Plan for the State of Utah. The Governor's "Energy Initiatives and Imperatives: Utah's 10-Year Strategic Energy Plan," can be found at <http://www.energy.utah.gov/governorsenergyplan/subcommittees.html>.

Private citizens, government officials, industry and all sectors of the eastern Utah community are invited and encouraged to attend. This Public Hearing is intended to draw input from (but is not limited to) Uintah, Duchesne, Daggett, Carbon, Emery, Grand, San Juan and Wasatch counties.

Ted Wilson, Senior Advisor to the Governor and Chair of the Energy Task Force, will chair the hearing and will be assisted by members of the Governor's Energy Task Force.

The hearing will be held in Vernal, UT, at the Western Park Conference Center, 302 East 200 South, and will begin promptly at 3:00 pm and end at 5:00 pm. Questions regarding the hearing or for specific accommodations may be directed to Ashlee Buchholz, (801) 538-1621 / email: abuchholz@utah.gov or to the hosting entity, Utah State University, Dr. Robert T. Behunin, (435) 722-1766 / email: robert.behunin@usu.edu.

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